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Agents Corner

"KNOW YOUR KING COUNTY GOVERNMENT PROJECT" Initiative

The following is a draft of the letter that will be presented to the 13 King County Councilmembers to describe the goals of this new project:

Dear King County Councilmember:

On behalf of the King County 4-H Association, we would like to introduce you to our new "Know Your King County Government" initiative. This project will involve 4-H youth throughout the county.

The goals of this initiative are as follows:

1. Educate our youth about how our King County government functions.
2. Promote knowledgeable and responsible citizenship.
3. Form an interactive relationship between our 4-H youth and King County Councilmembers.

Through this initiative, 4-H youth will keep the King County Council informed of community service and youth development issues that 4-H members and volunteer leaders are working on within each council district. 4-H participants will become knowledgeable about King County Council committee assignments and how we could best interact with the Council concerning community issues and positive youth development.

We would appreciate your support of this new and exciting opportunity for 4-H.

We will periodically keep you updated on the progress of this new and exciting project that will benefit our 4-H members, the King County Council, Executive, and the community.

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Dates to Remember

- Every Saturday thru September - Kent Farmers Market
- June 27 - 30 State Teen Conference in Pullman
More info at: <http://4-h.wsu.edu/conferences/teenconf/index.htm>
- July 11, 2004 Education Day - Public Presentation State Qualifying.
Location: KC Fairgrounds.
- July 21 - 25 - King County 4-H Fair

Kent Farmers Market

We NEED VOLUNTEERS TO STAFF 4-H BOOTH Saturdays, 9-3:30. Market hours are 10-3. Kent Lions Club is running this and is partnering with 4-H. Please contact Marilyn Newport, 253-852-6944, for more information and which days are available. Come out and support the Market!

Public Presentations Rule Changes

Juniors can go to State Fair!

- 1 Presenters are not to be penalized for going over their time limit due to questions at the end of their presentation. They can, however, be penalized for dawdling with their set up and/or clean up.
- 2 Juniors who receive a Blue Ribbon at County level may go to State and earn Premium points. The Junior 4-H member, parents and leader should feel comfortable that the 4-H member is ready for State level participation.

Did you present at District level (no matter what color ribbon you received) and STILL WANT TO QUALIFY FOR STATE? Another opportunity will be offered on July 11 at the King County Fairgrounds during Horse Project Education Day. This is for ANY PROJECT Junior, Intermediate and Seniors. A Pre-registration form can be found at <http://www.kc4-hhorse.com>. If you have any questions call Cindy Borland at 425-227-4257.

Parking At The King County Fair

Save some \$\$\$!

A parking pass costs \$5/day. But, if you will be parking at the Fair on the first day, Wednesday July 21, do NOT pay for this day in advance. Wednesday is Dollar Daze-you can park for \$1 by paying when you arrive. No charge for parking before Wednesday.

Camperville Location and Parking

Revised rules for vehicles!

CAMPERVILLE IS NOT MOVING TO A NEW LOCATION. It will be on the south end of the fairgrounds as in the past. Payment for a space in Camperville includes parking for one in and out vehicle. HOWEVER, these vehicles will park in a special lot just outside of Camperville. There are NO in and out access to Camperville itself. A campground host will be on duty to ensure that those of you who paid to

park there have a place to park. If you have any questions call Dianne Heath
253-639-1782

Work Day at the Fair Office

Friday, June 18th - 9:00 AM until the job is done! Sort ribbons and superintendent supplies. Need about 12 good workers - adults and/or youth - not limited to superintendents. I know many of us work. (I am taking a vacation day for this). Especially need help from the Horse and Dog Projects as theirs are a majority of ribbons. This is the first year the fair has asked us to do this and the projects that come to help will get their ribbons first and supplies first! Please let Dianne Heath know as soon as possible if you can help. We want to get this done in one day.

A Big Thanks To

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Newsletter Help Needed

You can contribute as well. Help wanted in editing this newsletter. Are you a writer? Have experience at writing Newsletters? The Extension office needs help in publishing this newsletter each week. If you are interested in helping please contact Carey Roos at 206-205-3152.

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